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MEMORANDUM FOR THE RECORD

SUBJECT: ASA Mobile Unit, Radio Equipment Installation (ED-175P)

1. On 25 February [] and the undersigned visited the contractor to discuss the present status of the project and the proposal for fabrication, installation, and evaluation of the radio equipment for the ASA Mobile Unit.

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2. A proposal for fabrication, installation and evaluation of the four channel radio equipment was received from [] dated 27 January 1960. The fabrication, sub-contracted, portion of this proposal was released; however, the balance of the proposal was in doubt as to the extent to which the contractor envisioned the overall effort. [], TSD/ASB, was consulted and arrangements were made to visit the contractor for a clarification of the proposal.

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3. Attached is a copy of the outline for installation and evaluation of the radio equipment as envisioned by [] and concurred in by the undersigned. The location of the radio equipment, transmitter-receiver and control head, was determined jointly by [], [] and the undersigned. Positions are shown in attached photos. A comparison evaluation of a dipole antenna vs. the luggage rack antenna was requested by [], TSD/ASB, for range comparison purposes. This request has been incorporated in the testing program. In addition, [] will obtain range tables for similar equipment being used by the Ohio State Highway patrol. The base station for all evaluation will be located at [] site. Although the installation and testing program appears to be extensive, it is necessary to insure reliability of the unit. [] expressed concern that the proposal was submitted at the lowest possible price and that overrun probability would be about 3 - 4. This fact will be brought to the attention of CI Staff. If CI's funding is limited to the degree that a reasonable effort can not be anticipated, the undersigned suggests that either a separate task be written by TSD or the general service task utilized to insure the quality of the unit.

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4. The CI Staff did not desire an instruction manual nor have any arrangements been made to obtain detailed drawings of this unit. If any similar units are envisioned for Agency use, it is the undersigned's opinion that funding should be made available to secure an appropriate procedure manual and detail drawings. [] advanced an estimate of \$3,000 to cover the drawing cost. Subsequent Mobile ASA units would cost approximately \$20,000 to \$25,000.

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5. It is the undersigned's opinion that the completed mobile ASA unit can not readily be given to indigenous personnel without some explanation as to the equipment function, maintenance, and operational procedure. Since no written instruction manual was desired, it would seem wise to have a technical liaison representative accompany the mobile ASA unit to its destination for

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the sole purpose of explaining the functions and procedures of the unit. In addition, any technical questions arising at the delivery destination could be answered immediately; thereby eliminating the laborious task of cabling information and minimizing the possibility of misunderstanding.



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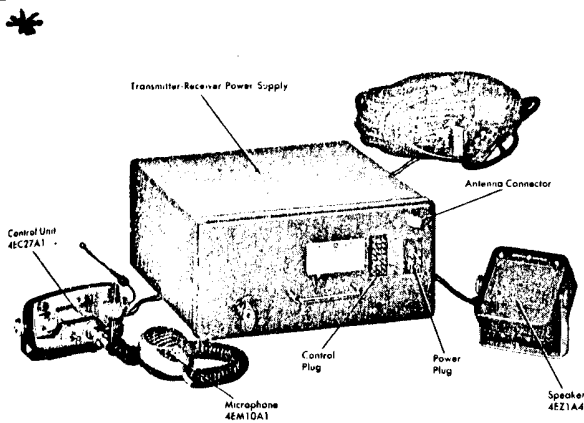
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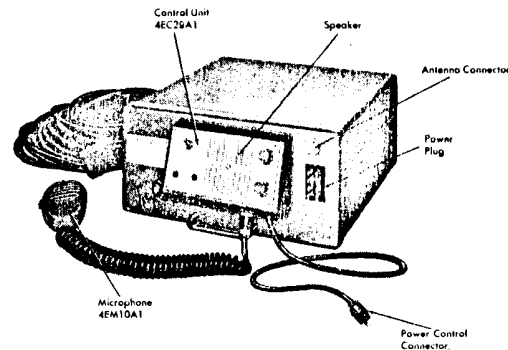
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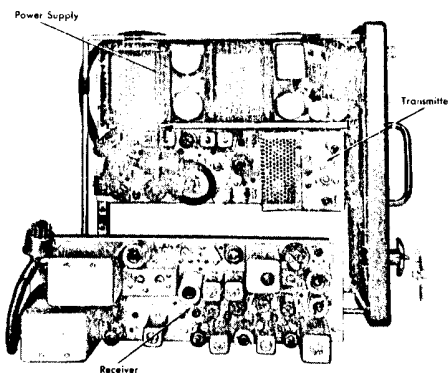
PROGRESS LINE MOBILE COMBINATIONS



TYPICAL TRUNK-MOUNT MOBILE COMBINATION. The control-unit and speaker are mounted separately from the case. The drawer-type standard case also has a removable cover for easy servicing.



TYPICAL FRONT-MOUNT MOBILE COMBINATION, showing the control-unit with built-in speaker attached directly to standard case. The form factor of this case permits convenient mounting under automobile or truck dashboard, yet leaves ample leg room.



TYPICAL TRANS.-REC. CHASSIS ASSEMBLY. The transmitter, receiver, and power supply mount to the case rack as shown. Plug and receptacle connections are utilized for all unit interconnecting.

Low Band (25-54 MC)
Mobile Antenna

Accessories Required for Standard Installation
(Refer to Equipment Index on back for Ordering Information)

Trunk Mount

Control Cable
Power Cable

Fuse and Relay Assembly
Fuses

Front Mount

Power Cable
Power Control Cable

Fuse and Relay Assembly
Fuses

High Band (144-174 MC)
Mobile Antenna

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RADIO SIZE 4x17x18

RADIO EQUIPMENT INSTALLATION

(1) Location of Equipment

- for* (a) Transmitter and Receiver — PER TSS/CD ON 25 FEB 1960
- for* (b) Control Head — PER TSS/CD ON 25 FEB 1960
- for* (c) Jack Boxes — " " " " " "
- for* (d) Speakers — " " " " " "

(2) Special Hardware (mounting bracket, etc.)

- (a) Design
- (b) Build

(3) Install Conduits

- (a) Power Cable - (battery to unit)
- (b) Control Cable - (unit to control head)
- (c) Antenna Lead - (antenna to unit)
- (d) Speaker Leads - (control head to speaker)
- (e) Control Leads - (control head to jack boxes)

(4) Install Equipment and Modify Vehicle (where necessary)

- (a) Special Hardware - (mounting brackets, etc.)
- (b) Transmitter-receiver unit
- (c) Control Head
- (d) Jack Boxes
- (e) Speakers
- (f) Install all cables and leads in conduits.

(5) Make All Connections

- (a) Dress and solder all leads
- (b) Attach all connections, etc.

(1) Antenna and Radio Tune-up

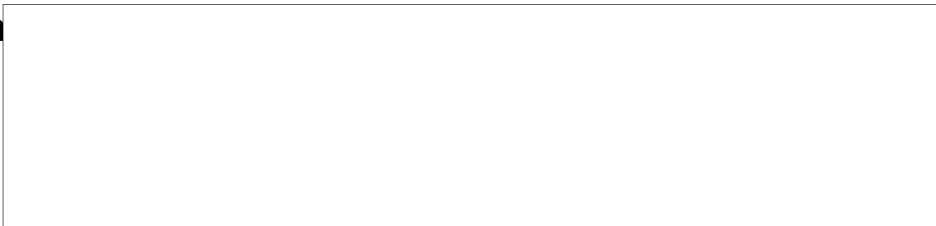
- (a) Retune transmitter and receiver, after installation, to proper frequencies**
- (b) Tune antenna to transmitter output**
- (c) Check out speakers, head sets, mikes, jack boxes and other related equipment.**

(2) Base Station Set-up (Requirements)

A. Battelle supplied transmitter and receiver (for 4 channel operation)

- (a) Modify 30-40 MC equipment**
- (b) Locate and install transceiver equipment**
- (c) Provide power source**
- (d) Tune and adjust equipment for use.**

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C. Base Station Antenna

- (a) Install antenna and run in antenna lead (locate on top of Building No. 1)**
- (b) Match antenna to base station equipment and to proper frequencies.**

(3) Preliminary Field Test

- (a) Pre-select locations to determine range**
- (b) Expand field test for overall conditions - including operation in motion, if desired**
- (c) Modification if warranted.**

(4) Final Field Test

- (a) (Same as 3(b) above)**
- (b) Field test with Sponsor.**

*** Note:** In the case of Battelle supplied equipment, a one channel (30-40 MC) transmitter would be used. This unit would be modified for use in the proper frequency range; then, for each channel of interest, a matching crystal would be installed and the unit retuned.



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TIME ESTIMATE FOR RADIO EQUIPMENT BASED ON 2 MEN/DAY

3 days for location of controls, transmitter and receiver, conduit, wires, cables, etc., and mock up of equipment (design of brackets, etc.)

1- $\frac{1}{2}$ days to install transmitter and receiver unit - includes vehicle modification, if necessary, and special mounting hardware.

2 days to place conduit and wire transmitter, receiver, controls, and antenna.

2 days to place conduit, fabricate jack boxes, install and wire jack boxes and speakers.

2- $\frac{1}{2}$ days to set up base station for remote tests - includes power source, etc. \approx EQUIP MODIFICATION,

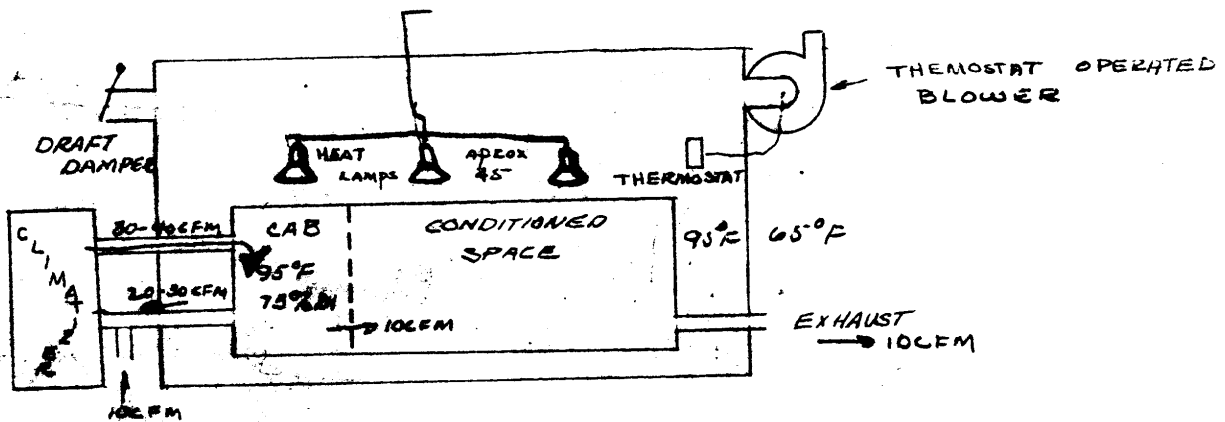
5 days to fabricate and install antenna, tune equipment, and run field tests - includes antenna compensating equipment for base station and return single channel equipment, if used. ^{BASE STATION} ^{PRECIA}

1 day for modification.

1- $\frac{1}{2}$ days for completion of remote tests - including sponsor visit.

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VEHICLE TESTING



WE EXPECT TO USE 45 LAMPS TO ACHIEVE THE DESIRED SURFACE TEMPERATURE ON THE VEHICLE

$$45 \text{ LAMPS} @ 375 \text{ Watts each} = \frac{45 \times 375}{1000} \text{ KW} = 16.75 \text{ KW}$$

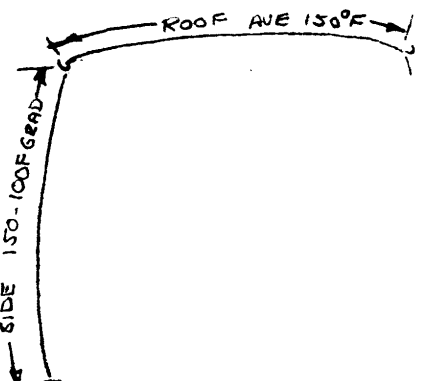
$$\frac{\text{Btu}}{\text{hr}} \times .01757 \frac{\text{Kwhr}}{\text{Btu}} = \text{Kwhr} = 16.75 \text{ KW}$$

$$\frac{\text{Btu}}{\text{hr}} = \frac{16.75 \text{ KW}}{.01757 \text{ Kwhr}} \times \frac{60 \text{ min}}{\text{hr}} = 57,700 \frac{\text{Btu}}{\text{hr}}$$

$$\text{assume } 95\% \text{ off of lamps} = 57,700 \times 95\% = 55,000 \frac{\text{Btu}}{\text{hr}}$$

Losses to Vehicle about 1,000 $\frac{\text{Btu}}{\text{hr}}$

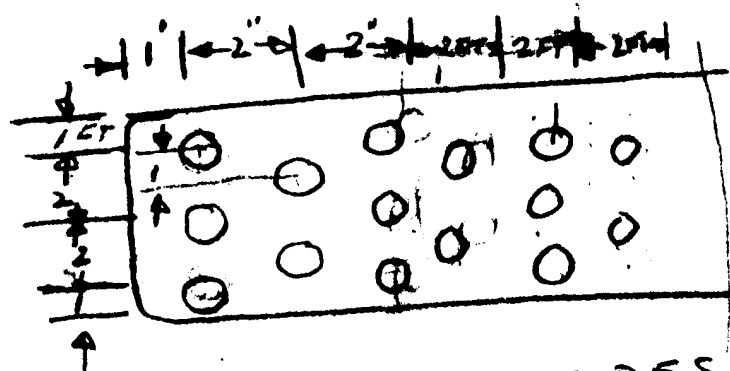
Walls, roof floor = 2 Btu/hr sq ft assume 65°F outside



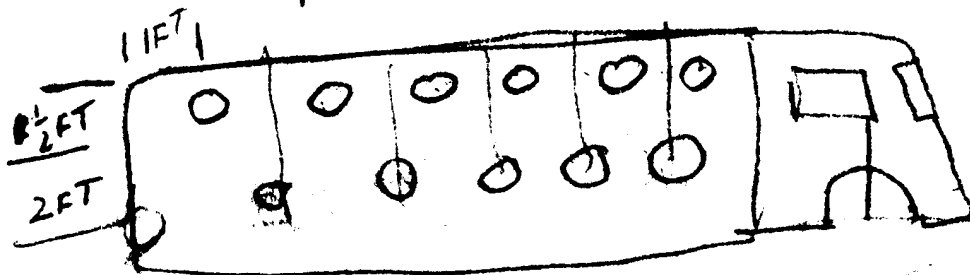
55,000 - 47,000 = 8,000 B to use for temp regulation in the
envelope enclosing the ^{the} vehicle.

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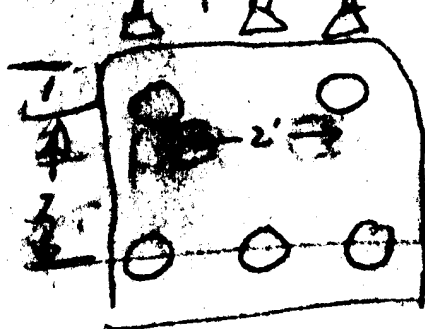
ROOF SPACING OF LAMPS ON ROOF



LAMPS ON SIDES

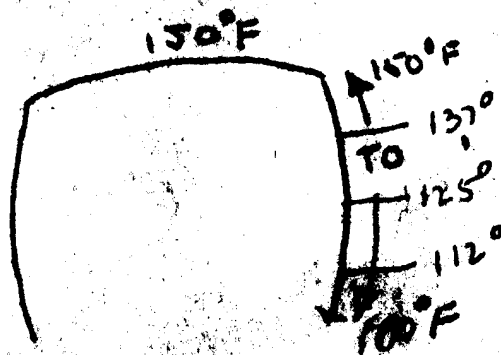


LAMPS ON BACK

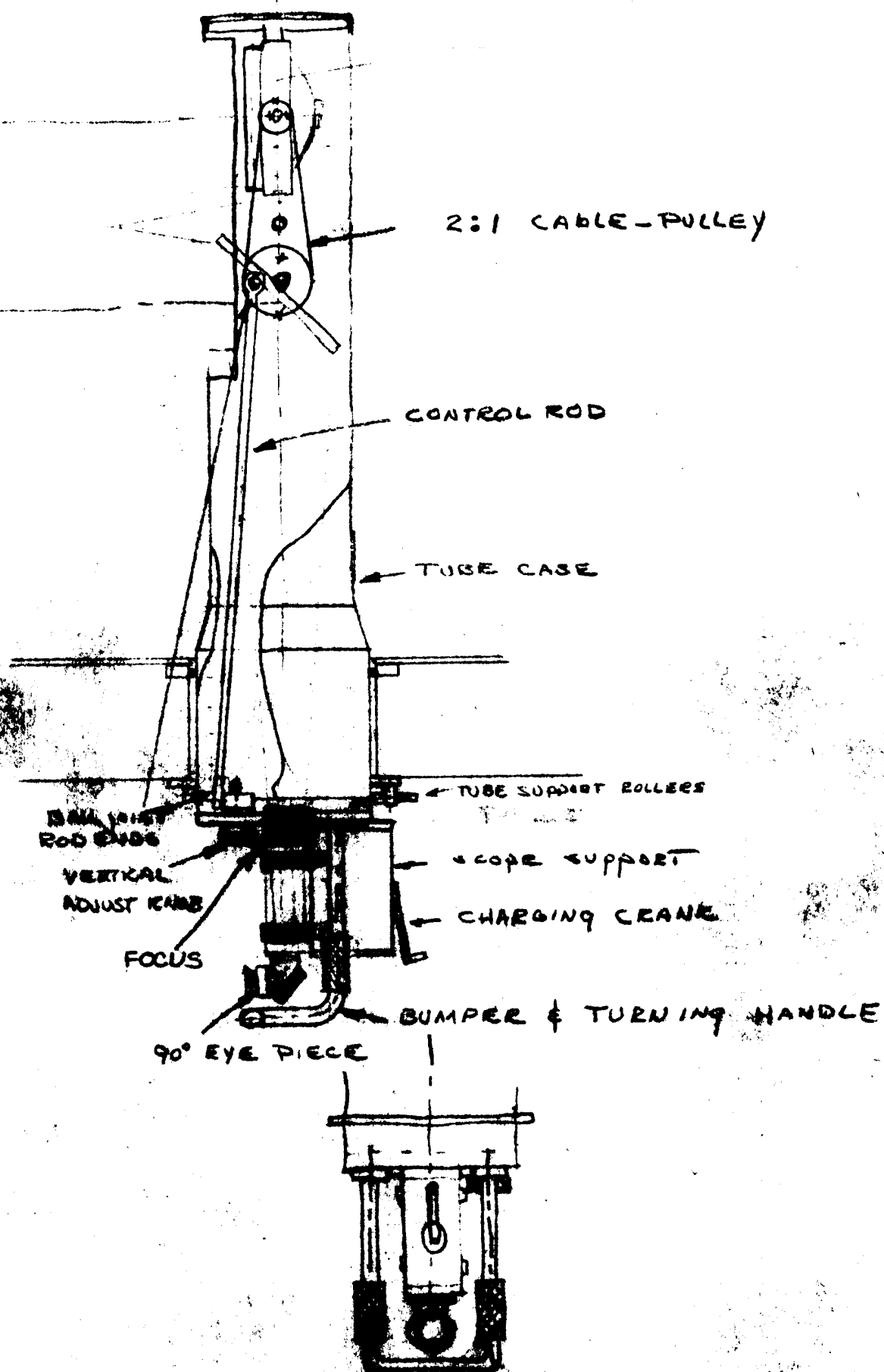


USE 375W
INFRARED
EACH LAMP
REPRESENT
A CURRENT
LOAD OF
3.4 amps

REMEMBER TO KEEP LAMPS
18" FROM PAINT SURFACE

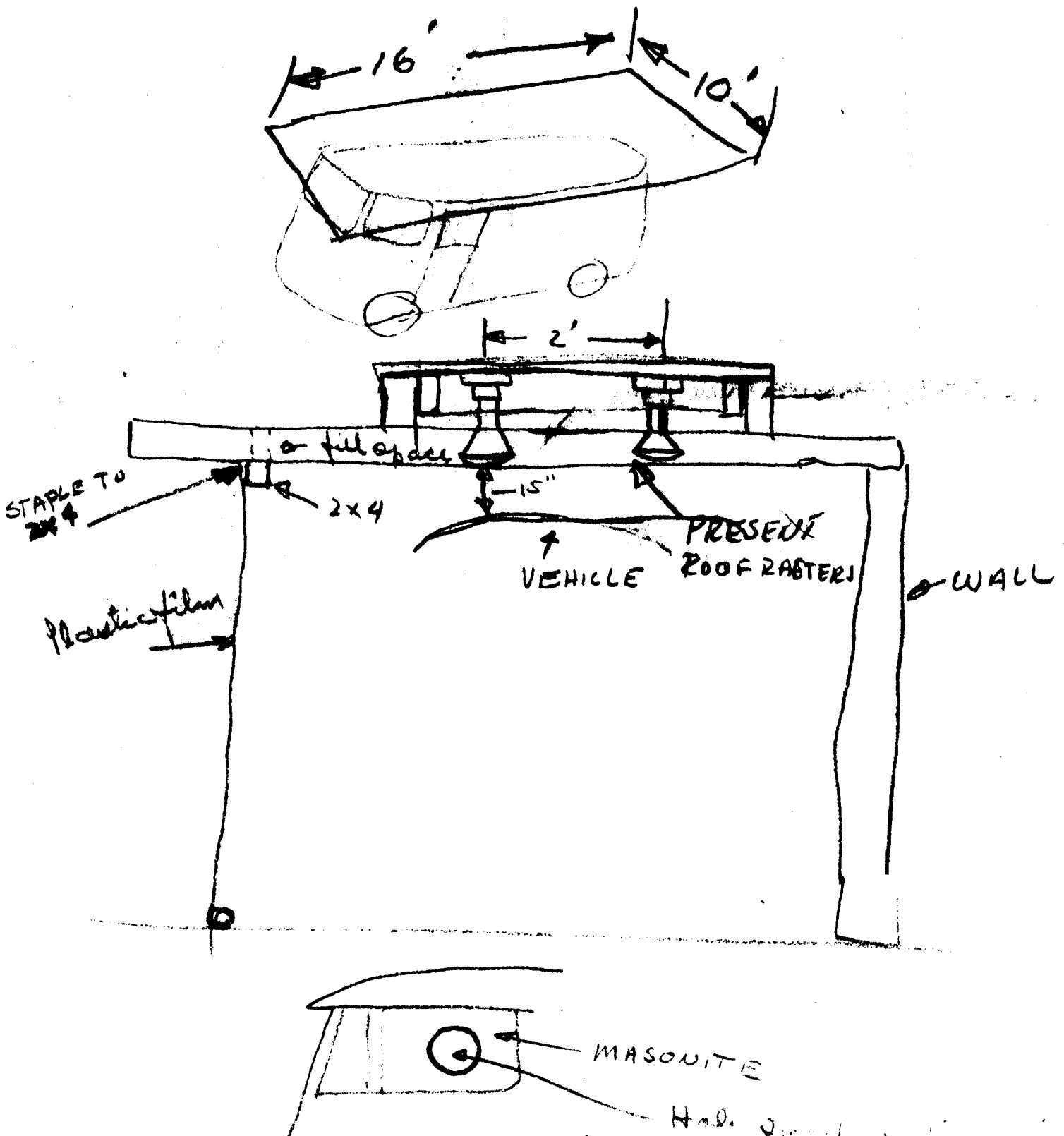


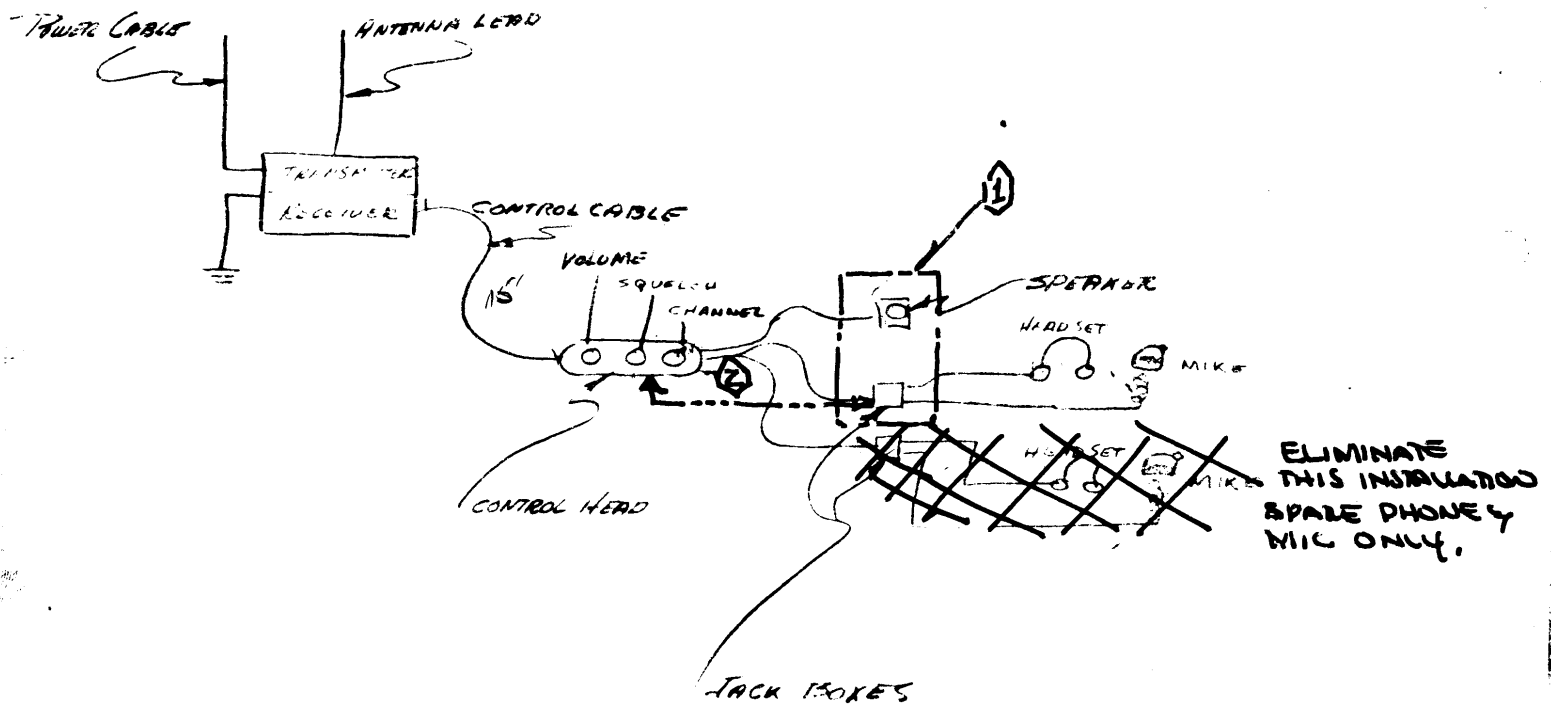
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CONDITION ROOM

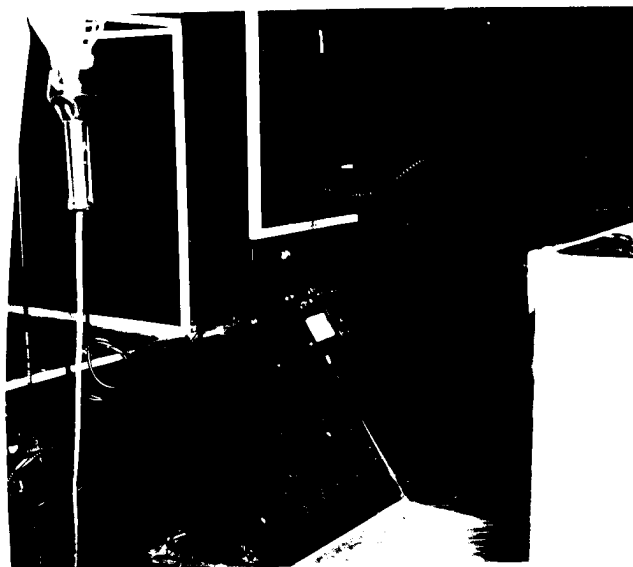




- ① COMBINE SPEAKER & JACK BOX INTO ONE UNIT; SPEAKER TO HAVE SWITCH FOR PHONE & SPEAKER.
- ② IF POSSIBLE INCORPORATE JACK BOX INTO CONTROL HEAD; ADD SPEAKER, PREFER TO ①



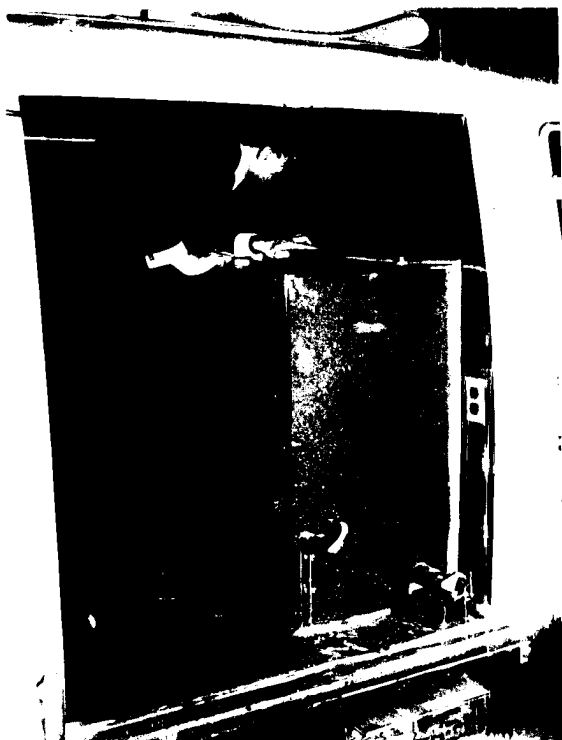
FORWARD PORTION OF WORKING COMPARTMENT SHOWING ICE CHEST AND TRANS-CEIVER LOCATION .



REAR PORTION OF WORKING COMPARTMENT SHOWING EQUIPMENT CONTROL CENTER AND RADIO CONTROL HEAD LOCATION.



VIEW IN WORKING SPACE SHOWING OVERHEAD AND PERSONNEL CONFINEMENT



VIEW SHOWING FORWARD WORKING COMPARTMENT AND USE OF FORWARD CLOSE IN SURVEILLANCE TECHNIQUE.



REAR VIEW OF WORKING COMPARTMENT SHOWING CONTROL CENTER, LOWER RIGHT, AIR CONDITIONING INLET GRILL, UPPER RIGHT, AND BATTERY STORAGE AREA.



REAR VIEW OF WORKING COMPARTMENT SHOWING EQUIPMENT CONTROL CENTER AND PANELS REMOVED FROM LEFT BATTERY STORAGE AREA. EXHAUST OUTLET FOR COMPARTMENT ATMOSPHERE SHOWN AT LOWER RIGHT.



INFRA-RED PERISCOPE MOCK-UP SHOWING LOCATION OF REFLECTING MIRROR, LIGHT SOURCE, AND RECEIVER.



CLOSE UP OF RECEIVER, BASE, AND DIRECTION CONTROLS. TOGGLE SWITCH CONTROLS THE INFRA-RED LIGHT SOURCE. A PILOT LIGHT IS LOCATED TO THE LEFT. THE LARGE KNOB AT THE RIGHT SIDE OF THE BASE CONTROLS THE VERTICAL DIRECTION OF THE INFRA-RED LIGHT SOURCE AND THE REFLECTING MIRROR. HANDLES CONTROL HORIZONTAL.

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Mobile Unit

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SUBJECT: ENVIRONMENTAL TEST OF
AIR CONDITIONING IN V/W ASA MOBILE
UNIT.

1. THE INITIAL ENVIRONMENTAL TEST
OF THE V/W UNIT HAVE BEEN CONDUCTED
AT [REDACTED] WITH SUCCESSFUL RESULTS. THE
CONDITIONED TEST SPACE TEMPERATURE
WAS 120F. VEHICLE ROOF TEMPERATURE
180-190F, VEHICLE SIDE PANEL TEMPERATURE
135F. INTAKE AIR FROM "CLIMATIZER"
WAS 100F AT 95% R.H. THE CONDITIONED
INSIDE WORKING SPACE STABILIZED AT
78F AND 50% R.H. A PERIOD OF 8 HRS
WAS UTILIZED FOR THIS TEST. AT THE
CONCLUSION OF THE TEST APPROX. 40-
50% OF THE TOTAL ICE LOAD, 450 LBS,
REMAINED. OCCUPANCY WAS INTERMITTENT
ONE & TWO MEN, SOME SMOKING, AND
NUMEROUS WORKING SPACE DOOR OPENINGS.

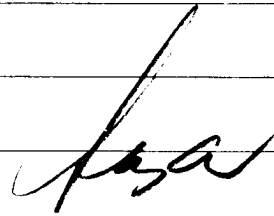
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2 - IT WOULD APPEAR THAT THE
ICE MAKING MACHINE LOAD OF
250 LBS WOULD SUSTAIN ONE INDIVIDUAL
FOR 8 HRS AT 12 OF OUTSIDE AMBIENT
CONDITIONS, 95% R.H. 'ANDY' I
WILL CONDUCT OUR TEST 28 MARCH.

A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to be 'ASW' or similar, written in a cursive style.

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